

## The Partnership to Prevent and End Homelessness in the City of Alexandria 2021 Continuum of Care (CoC) Competition Announcement

The Partnership to Prevent and End Homelessness in the City of Alexandria is a broad and diverse group of homeless service providers, local government agencies, and community stakeholders working together to make homelessness rare and brief in the City. As the area's Continuum of Care (CoC), the Partnership is responsible for promoting a systematic approach towards local homeless assistance, including prioritizing state and federal funding for programs that most effectively address the community's needs.

The Partnership is pleased to announce that the competition to apply federal homeless assistance funding from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has opened. Organizations interested in participating in the FY21 CoC Competition should review all competition materials on the <a href="Partnership's">Partnership's</a> webpage and read the <a href="FY21 Notice of Funding Opportunity">FY21 Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)</a>. You are also encouraged to monitor the <a href="HUD-CoC Competition webpage">HUD-CoC Competition webpage</a> and subscribe to their mailing list for additional NOFO publication information.

There is opportunity to apply for new funding in the FY21 CoC Competition, including HUD-CoC Bonus Project Funding and Domestic Violence Specific Bonus Project Funding. Organizations within and outside the CoC are equally encouraged to apply, and renewing grantees in the City are permitted to expand current HUD programs with either FY21 bonus opportunity. **Those interested in applying for bonus or reallocated funding must complete the applicable "FY21 Notice of Intent" and submit it to Stefan Caine at <a href="mailto:stefan.caine@alexandriava.gov">stefan.caine@alexandriava.gov</a> no later than 5:00 PM on Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. The "FY21 Notice of Intent - PSH" and "FY21 Notice of Intent - RRH or Joint TH-RRH" can be found on <a href="mailto:Partnership's webpage">Partnership's webpage</a>, as well as instructions for completing them.** 

Funding Opportunity	Eligible Project Types	Eligible Population
DV-Bonus: \$54,274	RRH	Homeless households residing streets, shelter, or safe- haven that are fleeing domestic violence
	Joint TH-RRH	Homeless households residing streets, shelter, safe- haven, or transitional housing that are fleeing domestic violence
HUD-COC Bonus: \$43,502	RRH	Homeless households residing in streets, shelter, or safe- haven
	PSH	Chronically homeless households without children
	Joint TH-RRH	Homeless households residing in streets, shelter, safe- haven, or transitional housing

Both new and renewal applicants must demonstrate that projects are consistent with the local Consolidated plan, adequately address the community's need, and align with priorities outlined in the FY21 NOFO. Project

applications must be submitted to HUD through a collaborative application process that requires coordination with the CoC Lead Agency, the Alexandria Dept. of Community and Human Services. For additional information about the Partnership, CoC, or the FY21 CoC competition, please contact Stefan Caine at <a href="mailto:stefan.caine@alexandriava.gov">stefan.caine@alexandriava.gov</a>.